



La Salle County Fire Rescue



Firefighter/Paramedic (preferred) and Firefighter/EMT-B position availability announcement.

Overview:

Performs firefighting, rescue and Emergency Medical duties as required to protect the lives and property of the citizens of La Salle County.

Description of Duties:

Inspect and maintain LSCFR facilities, equipment, vehicles, apparatus tools and supplies. Inspects, tests, and evaluates and repairs equipment before and after use. Notifies supervisors of equipment problems beyond an individual's scope of authority or skill level. Inspects and maintains PPE and assures that all firefighting equipment is in a constant state of readiness and available for immediate use. Responds to calls for service and performs fire suppression, rescue and emergency medical duties as required to control an emergency incident. Ability to follow orders under stressful conditions, relay orders and/or instructions or other information to other crew members. Operates emergency, fire, rescue and medical tools and equipment. Assists and coordinates with law enforcement and other rescuers to extract victims from accident sites and hazardous situations. Preserves property and mitigates hazards. Maintain station, and living quarters in a clean and orderly condition, along with apparatus, equipment and outside facilities. Familiar with the geography of La Salle County. Conducts public education sessions for a diverse group of audiences. Must attend training programs to continuously update work skills and knowledge. Performs other duties as assigned.

Minimum Requirements:

High School Diploma or GED equivalent. Class B exempt license preferred. Possess a VALID TCFP Firefighter certification. EMT or Paramedic (preferred) certification issued by TDSHS. Current AHA CPR card. Paramedics must also have current ACLS and PALS cards.

Work Conditions:

Work is performed in both indoor and outdoor locations in possible inclement weather. Work requires strenuous physical efforts and ability also requires ability to lift and move items weighing up to one hundred (100) pounds.

Benefits:

Full time employees will receive 100 % health benefits payed by the county and discounted rates for spouse and families are available. TCDRS retirement system 2.5 to 1 at 7 %

Pay rate for both full and part time employees are as follows:

Firefighter/Paramedic @ \$16.44 per hour

Firefighter/EMT @ \$14.18 per hour

Paramedic only @ \$15.50 per hour

Open Period:

Until positions are filled

Application can be obtained @ county website: co.la-salle.tx.us